

SIXTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1897.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. J. B. Holton has returned from a trip to Indianapolis.

Miss Anne Barry of the county is visiting friends near Augusta.

Miss Duke Knight of Washington is visiting friends near Germantown.

Mrs. Alice H. Evans of Paducah is the pleasant guest of her niece, Miss Hattie L. Wood in the county.

Mrs. Theo. C. Power and daughter of Cincinnati have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wilson of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Keith of the county are entertaining Rev. and Mrs. Watkins at their pleasant and hospitable home.

Mr. B. F. McCalland of Louisville, Commander Division of Kentucky, Sons of Veterans, was a visitor to our city yesterday.

Mrs. Waldo Hamilton of the Fifth Ward returned last night from South Solon, O., where she has been attending her mother, Mrs. W. H. Millhouse, who has been very ill with the grippe the past several weeks.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEADER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

Heard Davenport's Burlesquers at the Opera-house tonight.

The many friends of Miss Mattie Davis will be glad to learn that she is improving.

Mark Duffield, aged 60, one of Morgan's famous Confederate raiders, died at Cynthiana.

The new steel ceiling for the Dining room of the Central is here and will be put on by Lane & Warwick.

The Social Committee of the several C. E. Societies met at the home of Miss Catherine Ross Monday to make arrangements for the union social.

The hope is expressed that the First National Bank of Newport, which closed its doors Monday morning, will pay dollar for dollar to the depositors.

Mrs. John W. Throckmorton, wife of Conductor Throckmorton of the L. and N., died at Lexington Sunday night after a long and painful illness.

Mrs. Madison Worthington of Fern Leaf, who was stricken with paralysis a few weeks ago, is gradually growing weaker, and there are feeble hopes for her recovery.

The main bolt at the Cotton Mills gave way Monday afternoon, and that is why they did not run all night Monday night. It was 18-inches wide, about 70 feet long, and it cost nearly \$250 for a new one.

If you had not seen P. J. Murphy's stock of Silver Spoons and Forks "you should and at once." These goods have never been offered at such low prices.

FLEMINGSBURG SENSATION.

Conspiracy Charged Against the Assignees of the Late Exchange Bank.

The Flemingsburg Gazette says something of a surprise was created in the Circuit Court in that city when Judge Apperson of Mt. Sterling and J. D. Pumphrey of Flemingsburg filed a cross petition to the Master Commissioner's report charging the Assignees of the Exchange Bank and D. Wilson with conspiring to defraud the creditors of the Bank out of about \$75,000.

It is alleged in the petition that large sums of money were secured from various banks within a short time before the assignment on notes given by R. K. Hart and R. H. Souley with David Wilson as surety, and that in addition good notes were also put up as security for said sums of money.

It is claimed that in the schedule filed worthless notes and accounts have been included as assets while good notes have been withheld with fraudulent intent.

Hon. A. M. J. Cochran, as attorney for the Assignees, objected to the filing of the petition, but the Court overruled the objection, and the matter was held over until the April term of Court, when the attorneys for depositors claim they will make some sensational disclosures.

The petition was signed by N. H. Crain and about 38 other depositors of the bank. It remains to be seen what evidence will be brought to bear in support of the startling charges.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEADER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR.
Blue—RAIN OF SNOW.
With Blue above—WILL WARMER.
Snow.

If Black's streamer—COLDEN—will be less.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 12 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Born, last night, to the wife of Mr. J. Jane, a boy.

Don't fail to see Davenport at the Opera-house tonight.

Born, last night, to the wife of Mr. John L. Cobb, a girl.

Mr. James Limerick is reported some what better this morning.

Large shipments of corn are now going East on the C. and O. road.

The personality of Mrs. Mary B. Dickson has been appreciated at \$1,881.88.

Hon. John P. McCartney has been confined to his home at Flemingsburg for several days.

Lang & Worick are putting on a pretty steel ceiling for the Frank Owens Hardware Company.

Mr. Thomas Wells has been entertaining a young daughter at his home since yesterday morning.

Work on the switch and coals for William Davis the coal merchant is progressing in the Fifth Ward.

Yesterday through Chief of Police Officer Maria Cahill received a diamond ring which was lost last July.

William Goddard, aged 30, was found dead in a thicket near Vanceburg. His heart had been affected. He had been to Mr. Carmel and in returning fell dead.

Mr. Henry P. Chenoweth received a letter this morning from Mr. Wallace Shelby of Lexington stating he and Mr. Deak Brackinridge had secured the controlling interest in The Lexington Herald. Mr. Brackinridge will be the Editor, and will continue as a Second Money Democratic journal.

The brick house of Mr. John Lane at Washington was considerably damaged by fire Saturday night, which started in the kitchen. By hard work the fire was confined to the kitchen and dining room, which were much lower than the main building. The property was insured.

Notice.

Lady Slipper Tags will not be redeemed after February 1st, 1897.

J. H. RAINE & SONS, Tel. Mfrs.

Special Cash Bargains.

One can Sugar Corn..... 3c.
One can Whole Tomatoes..... 7c.
One can Table Peaches..... 10c.
One gallon Beans..... 15c.
One gallon Hominy..... 10c.

G. W. DREHLE.

DIED LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Jesse Worthington Expires at Her Home Near Maysville.

Mrs. Jesse Worthington died last night at 9:30 o'clock at her home near Maysville, of consumption, in her 67th year.

She leaves one son, Mr. W. D. Worthington, and one daughter, Mrs. R. G. Wood.

Her husband died in August, 1894, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Cook, died in February, 1894.

The funeral will take place at the Baptist Church, Maysville, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, with services by the Rev. C. Keyes, assisted by the Rev. H. H. Hibbs.

FUNERAL AID ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Election of Officers and Directors For the Year 1897.

The Oddfellows Funeral Aid Association held its annual meeting Monday evening and chose these officers for the current year:

President—Henry L. Newell.
Vice-President—J. F. Barbour.
Secretary—W. B. Peart.

Treasurer—M. C. Russell.

Directors—D. Hechinger, Simon Nelson, A. N. Huff, J. I. Salisbury, T. H. N. Smith, P. B. Traxel, L. Hill, W. H. Ryder, Mayville, L. B. Abner, Elizaville, George W. Schlitz, Aberdeen; J. G. Hillis, Concord.

The Association now has 73 members.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY.

He Will Occupy a Conspicuous Place in the Inaugural Parade.

Colonel W. S. Forester, Assistant Adjutant General of Kentucky, is in Washington City, to arrange some details for the inauguration ceremonies.

Colonel Forester thinks that Governor Bradley will occupy about the same position in the eyes of the public at the McKinley inauguration as did General Fitz Hugh Lee four years ago when Cleveland for the second time went into the White House.

It is said that the uniforms of the members of the Governor's staff are the finest of any set of gubernatorial staff officers in the United States.

Taylor Bros. at Washington are still selling 25 pounds granulated sugar for \$1 and 6 pounds Arbuckle's coffee for \$1 each.

Mr. Eli Pearce and Smith Laytham, two of Maysville's prominent young people, will marry Thursday, January 28th, at 1:30 p. m. at the Maysville Christian Church.

The funeral of the late Dr. S. N. Loy took place at Aberdeen yesterday afternoon, interment with the honors of Odd-fellowship. Dr. Loy was a Surgeon during the late War, and drew a pension of \$72 per month for total disability.

DOUBLE WEDDING.

Two Maysville Men Marry the Misses Blakemore at Winchester, O.

The much-talked-of has come to pass. Mr. R. M. Willett and Mr. W. L. Nicholson of this city went quietly to Winchester, O., Monday.

In the Southern part of that village lived Misses Alberta and Viola Blakemore.

From the outcome it appears that the gentlemen and the young ladies were not strangers to each other.

However that may be, the Rev. J. C. McColm was called in.

And Miss Alberta became Mrs. Willett, while Miss Viola became Mrs. Nicholson.

They will, of course, reside in this city.

You wouldn't think of going to a person's house unless you were invited—would you?—and one's business is to do so. Just as much as a merchant wishes people to come and see him, and to buy his goods, he just as much wishes people to visit him, and to see his place. It is just as much as a merchant wishes people to come and see him, and to buy his goods, he just as much wishes people to visit him, and to see his place. It is just as much as a merchant wishes people to come and see him, and to buy his goods, he just as much wishes people to visit him, and to see his place.

TRY IT!

\$60,000 DAMAGES.

The C. and O. Made Defendant in Two Big Suits in the Circuit Court.

W. T. Hall, Administrator of Monroe Hall, has filed suit in the Mason Circuit Court against the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Mayville and Big Sandy Railroad Companies, and William Clements and William Thackston for \$30,000 damages.

The suit is the result of the recent horrible accident at the Lexington street crossing, this city, when Monroe Hall, accompanied by J. B. Willett, in attempting to cross the track at the above point, were struck by the Westbound F. V. F. and instantly killed.

Messrs. Clements and Thackston were Engineer and Fireman of the train.

The petition alleges that the accident was caused by culpable, careless, negligent and unlawful management of the locomotive and the gross negligence of the Company's employees. It also alleges that said accident occurred at a crossing much used by the public, and that defendants were running the train through the city much faster than six miles an hour, the speed limited by an ordinance of the city of Mayville.

J. D. Pumphrey and G. A. Cassidy of Flemingsburg are plaintiff's attorneys.

Soon after filing the above suit the Messrs. Clements and Thackston, Administrator of J. B. Willett, filed a petition claiming \$30,000 damages also for the death of the latter.

The allegations in this petition are also the same as set out in the case of Hall.

COMPLIMENTARY!

A Tribute to Maysville's Most Enterprising Citizen.

LEADER IN ALL GOOD WORKS

The Largest Individual Property Holder in Mason County.

SOMETHINGS HE HAS DONE



HON. WILLIAM H. COX

It should be gratifying to every citizen of Mayville to know that there are those among us who attract attention from residents of other states.

Whenever THE LEADER sees mention of a Mayville man who has "made his mark" elsewhere, it is a source of pleasure to mention that fact; and it is gratified, therefore, to observe this reference to our worthy Mayor, made in last week's issue of The Felicity (O.) Times.

MAYSVILLE'S MASCOT.

One "Cox" Who Holds and Wins Great Favor, and Yet is Not a "Boss."

Flattering Testimony to the Ability and Influence of the "Eminentest" City's Young Mayor.

The family name "Cox" has of late years come to be synonymous with "bessies and bossism" in the politics and general affairs of at least one of our large cities, with others possible to hear from. And while there are Coxes and Coxes, and cities and cities, the first named are not all bosses, nor yet all such municipalities bosses. We have directly in mind one of the name who, while long clothed with all the power due him, has yet to our shame or misgiving.

We refer to "Will" Cox, Mayville's able, genial and popular young Mayor, who is equally at home, whether presiding at a Church meeting, participating in a social function, or laying bricks in a sewer, which last act he is known to have performed, when in his own good judgment such work did not seem to be moving right. He is a wealthy bachelor of the younger class, universally popular, and while a most active and busy man in his official and private relations, he yet finds time and pleasure in participating in political affairs, of which he makes a harmless disipation.

Quite recently, while in a conversation with a gentleman who is not unknown in the annals of the affairs of this state, and who, by the way, like ourselves enjoys an acquaintance with Mayor Cox, he was referred to in connection with some happening at Mayville. And while it may be regarded as being exceptionally coincidental, he produced a letter, written by one of our most prominent and distinguished politicians, and statesman as well, which included quite an extended reference to Mayor Cox.

Among the quiet but effective political managers in our neighbor Commonwealth of Kentucky, is Hon. William H. Cox, the present Mayor, I believe, of Mayville. Mr. Cox is yet a young man, a fitting type of that citizenship which soon must take the place made vacant by the old "wheelbarrows" of his party. In 1888, the Congressional nomination of this District was unanimously tendered to him, but he modestly declined it.

Although he never sought office for himself at the hands of his party, he has for a long time stood quite "close to the throne" in his influence for others; and he will, undoubtedly, be accorded a very considerable hearing by the next Administration, when it comes to the distribution of favors in his bailiwick.

Holiday Merchandise

Holds Sway at Ballenger's!

Diamonds, in all mountings;

Clocks, in every variety;

Dishes and Plates, singly and in sets;

Solid Silverware, in newest designs;

Cut Glass, in exquisite patterns;

Watches and Jewelry, without end.

Prices, the very lowest.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

Mr. Cox was a Delegate to the National Republican Convention that nominated General Harrison at Minneapolis in 1892, and although, on account of state issues, he voted for General Harrison, he was, nevertheless, a zealous friend of Major McKinley, and was warmly for the Ohio man for the Presidency of that Convention. His friendship for McKinley, however, antedated this period by several years, and when the Major made his two successful races for Governor of Ohio, State Chairman Dick can testify that the campaign fund was, on both occasions, swelled by Mr. Cox's checks for good, round sums.

During the recent campaign he did most effective work for the National ticket, and was a potent factor in carrying his Congressional District for Major McKinley by about 500 votes.

It may interest applicants for public favors in Kentucky to know that Mr. Cox's indecision will go a long way toward making it clear that he might otherwise prove a very rugged road.

The only possible exception that could be taken to the Ohio man's reference to our worthy Mayor is the statement of his bachelorhood. To this Mrs. Cox will be likely to interpose most serious objection, while eligible young ladies will share bitter disappointment over the loss of a desirable catch.

And in this connection it may not be amiss to give a few additional particulars as to the subject of this sketch. William H. Cox was born in this city October 22d, 1856, and comes of sturdy old English stock.

His grandfather, the late George Cox, began his mercantile career in this city in 1819, many years afterward associating with him his son, the late William H. Cox, father of Mayor Cox, and the business which was then founded is now conducted by the third generation.

Although educated in mercantile pursuits, Mayor Cox early evinced a taste for politics, and long before he reached "man's estate" he was an enthusiastic worker for his party, contributing liberally of his means and laboring at the polls for his chosen candidates.

In 1887 he was elected to the City Council, serving continuously for seven years, and in 1893 he was chosen Mayor,—being first to fill that office under the new Constitution—in which position he is now serving his fourth year.

In addition to his services to the public, he devotes much time to society and charitable work, as well as to various business enterprises.

He is Past Grand Master of Kentucky Oddfellows and Grand Representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge; is a Knight Templar; is President of the Y. M. C. A., President of the State National Bank, ex-officio President of the Board of Directors, President of the Mason County Cemetery Company, and is a Director in the Electric Street Railway Company—enough, surely, to keep any ordinary mind out of mischief.

But, besides all these, he has other demands upon his time.

He is the owner of the Cox Building—(Masonic Temple)—with nearly a score of handsome residences fronting on Market and Fourth streets, besides business and residence property in other parts of the city. In short, in the matter of improving the city, he has built more houses and better ones than any man who ever lived in Mayville, and they stand today as an ornament to the city and as a monument to his public spirit.

Mr. Cox is also the head of the well

known firm of George Cox & Son; and there is scarcely a man who engages in any undertaking without seeking the counsel of Will Cox.

His private charities amount to hundreds of dollars annually, to say nothing of several orphans and worthy persons when he is supporting and educating—and about which the general public would never know but for this article.

William H. Cox may be proclaimed, in all truth, "Mayville's First Citizen."

Why Cough? Chenoweth's Cough Syrup guaranteed to relieve or money refunded. Go to Henry W. Ray's for Pure Drugs and Sundries. Prescriptions a specialty.

Mr. J. Harvey Belt and Miss Maggie Howe, marry at the house of the bride near Flemingsburg today.

James J. Sandless, Clerkroom Keeper of the last House of Representatives, died at his home in Clay County.

C. R. Smith, formerly of Louisville, was found dead in his room in a New York hotel, with the gas turned on.

Mormon missionaries, who are making a systematic canvass of Central Kentucky, are now working in Boyle county.

G. A. McCartney the Jeweler has removed to No. 30 West Second street, nearly opposite Bank of Mayville, where he will be pleased to meet all demands for anything in his line.

Rev. Mr. Britt, Pastor of the Methodist Church at Millersburg, conducted the quarterly meeting at Washington Saturday and Sunday, the Presiding Elder being unable to attend on account of sickness.

T. L. Green, County Clerk, Mt. Olive, Ky., buys old United States and Foreign Postage and Revenue Stamps, and pays liberal prices for same. If you have any old Stamps, dating from 1830 to 1875, send them to him and get prices.

A novel and bewitching performance by the May Davenport Female Burlesque Troupe was witnessed by a full house. The female artists were a great attraction and acquitted themselves with much credit.—Newark Times.

At Opera-house tonight.

Election of Officers.

The A. O. H. Sunday afternoon selected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—W. A. Cole.
Vice President—W. T. Cummins.
R. and C. Secretary—J. J. Kane.
Financial Secretary—William Archibald.
Treasurer—John T. Short.
Bergant—Attn—James Diener.
Sentinel—John Gill.
Standing Committee—Thomas Gailfoyle, Robert Brown, John Dunn, Thomas W. Breen, John Mahony.

If we could trace Dyspepsia to its source, it would lead back to our kitchens. In fact, the secret of good health is good cooking. If poorly cooked, foods are partially digested; if poorly cooked, they are indigestible than in their raw state. If you are a victim of faulty cooking, that is, if you suffer from Dyspepsia, the rational cure must be looked for in an artificially digested food, and a food which will at the same time aid the digestion of other foods. Such a preparation virtually meets the tired digestive organs, thereby restoring them to their natural strength.

The Digestive Cordel, as prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, is just such a preparation, and a single 10-cent bottle will convince you of its value. If your druggist doesn't keep it, he will be glad to get it through his wholesale house.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

BOYS' & YOUTHS' Calt Shoes

HIGH CUT BALLS AND BUTTOL.

J. HENRY PECOR.

A MAGAZINE

Containing Over 50,000 Pounds
of Explosives Lets Go.

A Number of Cottages in the Vicinity
Were Blown to Pieces.

Two Negroes Are Reported Dead
Several Other Persons Mangled—The
Terrible Explosion Was Instantly
Heard Seven Miles Away.

MONTE, Ala., Jan. 20.—About 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the plating mill of the Dixie Mill Co., located about five miles above the city on the Mobile river, caught fire and was totally destroyed. The fire spread to the dry kiln and it was also consumed, with a large quantity of lumber both in the kilns and in the yard. The plant was valued at about \$50,000, and was insured for about \$100,000.

During the progress of the fire sparks from the mill set fire to the city magazine, which is located across the Louisville & Nashville track from the mill plant, and about 5 o'clock residents of this city were startled by a tremendous explosion, which broke glass in many homes in the city and in Summerville, nine miles from the scene of the explosion. The explosion in the tower of the convent were almost shaken off and in some parts of the city chimneys were blown down.

At the time of the explosion there were 50,000 pounds of powder and 800 pounds dynamite stored in the magazine. The air in the vicinity was filled with flying bricks and a number of cottages were blown to pieces by the terrific explosion which was distant from the mill plant, seven miles west of the city and at least ten or twelve miles from the explosion.

The lateness of the hour at which the explosion occurred and the inaccessibility of the place make it impossible to verify all the reports as to casualties to human life. Mr. Devin, bookkeeper of the plant, who was slightly hurt by flying bricks, and Bob Knight, colored, is reported to have been killed. Injured in the same manner. The injuries to these two men are the only ones reported that have been verified, but there are reports to the effect that two Negroes were blown to atoms and that several other persons were injured in taking refuge in a place of safety from a store about a block from the magazine about the time the explosion occurred, are more or less dangerously injured.

There are two smaller magazines near the large one, which are said to be filled with explosives, but in an interview Tuesday night John H. Moore, keeper of the magazines, said he did not apprehend any further danger.

It is said that when the sparks set fire to the roof of the large magazine that the blaze that followed was seen by some gentlemen who immediately went about giving the alarm. They warned the people living in the cottages nearby to flee for their lives. It is said that the actual cause of the explosion could not be learned, saved a number of lives.

Every telegraph wire going north of the city was blown down and all business for points north had to go by way of New Orleans. The Louisville & Nashville track was obstructed by the fire and all trains arriving since 2 o'clock have been delayed.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATION.

A Bill Declaring Every Form of Agreement or Combination to Lessen Trade Manufacturing Unlawful.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 20.—The most important bill of the session, which the legislature was introduced Tuesday by Senator Sheehan. The measure declares every form of agreement, combination, trust or other restraint of trade, calculated to lessen competition in mercantile trade or manufacturing, shall be deemed to be unlawful and void. Minnesota corporations entering into combinations of the kind shall forfeit their corporate rights and foreign corporations entering into such combinations shall be excluded from the state. The bill provides that any person who enters into such combinations is subject to fines of not less than \$100 nor more than \$5,000, or imprisonment in the state prison for not more than five years, in the discretion of the court.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis Infections.

New York, Jan. 20.—The health board Tuesday afternoon passed an amendment to the sanitary code, declaring pulmonary tuberculosis to be an infectious and contagious disease, and requiring physicians to report all cases coming under their observation.

The board proposes to treat consumption in the same manner as cases of diphtheria and other contagious diseases of a mild nature. Isolation will be ordered if the circumstances require such a course.

Sworn Sworn in Texas.

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 20.—North and east Texas had their first snow fall of the winter Tuesday.

Heavy for years. The depth around Dallas is now three inches and the indications are for the storm, turning to frost. Reports received at different railway stations indicate that a heavy snow is falling all over north, northwest and west Texas. Live stock and farm buildings are being hurt by the storm but winter wheat and general farming interests will be largely benefited.

Will Not Act Until Sherman Dies.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Gov. Bushnell, of Ohio, in an interview with a reporter of the United States Press Tuesday, said he would take no action one way or the other to hasten the selection of a successor to Sherman until the resignation of the senator honor in place of Senator Sherman on the resignation of the latter was in his hands.

Wm. E. Mason Nominated for Senator.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 20.—Wm. E. Mason, of Chicago, was Tuesday nominated for U. S. senator in the full republican caucus.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Legislative Appropriation Bill in the Senate—The House Passed the Day in the Consideration of Private Pension Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—SENATE.—The legislative appropriation bill was taken up after the Nineteenth measure had been laid aside and was completed with the exception of provisions in relation to the library of congress which went over without action until Wednesday. Earlier in the day a proceeding Mr. Hill (dem., N. Y.) spoke for an hour and a half of a joint resolution relating to the subways in the District of Columbia. The bill was passed by a vote of 54 to 41. Also last week as to defeat in the Pacific Railroad Co. and the one offered Tuesday by Mr. Patterson (republican, N. Y.) as to the Venezuela and Guiana boundary agreement, were laid before the senate but were not taken up.

HOUSE.—The house spent the whole of Tuesday's session in consideration of the whole consideration private pension bill. A favorable action was taken upon it of them, one being the senate bill to increase to five months the pension of Maj. Gen. Julius H. Stahl.

REVOLTING CONFESSION.

San Francisco Admits That He Was the Author of the Coloma Bridge Disaster.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 20.—San Palmita, a former U. S. senator, in replying in a confidential confession to having perpetrated the great Coloma bridge disaster in 1891, which killed 100 persons in Alabama. Stolidly and with unmovable lines of criminal hardness on his face, he admits that single-handed he caused a horrible death, and wounded and maimed a score more.

When the disaster occurred, lying below, hidden behind a convenient ledge of rock, was the relentless engineer who had a rail car on the trestle, fastened it across the track and then made his way to where he had hidden. He saw the bodies of the dead and the helpless wounded, the money that was to pay him for the terrible step he had taken, and he fled. He was seen by a crowd of people who were gathered around the scene of the disaster and he was arrested in Putnam county, Georgia.

HOTTER BATTLE AT ST. PAUL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—One of the bolters of the Saghalien steamer exploded while the vessel was off the Chinese coast on December 2, bound from Singapore for Hong Kong. The explosion killed 100 of the engineers were killed by the explosion or by the escaping steam. The vessel was damaged and the bodies of the dead and the helpless wounded, the money that was to pay him for the terrible step he had taken, and he fled. He was seen by a crowd of people who were gathered around the scene of the disaster and he was arrested in Putnam county, Georgia.

SENATOR TELLS OF HIS EXPERIENCE.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 20.—Senator Henry M. Teller was re-elected United States senator in both houses of the general assembly. He was elected by a large majority and almost unanimously. Nominating speeches were made by democratic, republican and independent candidates, and the total vote of the two houses shows 94 for Teller and three for Judge Allen, who was defeated by the McGraws. The joint session will be held Wednesday when it is thought the public presence will be a hostile opposition to Senator Teller's reelection.

GALLINGER FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 20.—Each branch of the legislature took a vivacious vote Tuesday for United States senator for six years, ending March 4, 1897. In the senate the vote stood: Jacob H. Gallinger, of Concord, 25; Josiah W. Parker, of Concord, 19. There was one absentee. The vote in the house resulted: Gallinger, 207; Parker, 181. The vote in the senate was 25 to 19. The vote in the house was 207 to 181. The vote in the senate was 25 to 19. The vote in the house was 207 to 181.

PRICE OF CHINA'S DIVORCE CASE.

BUTTS, Jan. 20.—The proceedings for divorce against the late Chinese minister, calculated to lessen competition in mercantile trade or manufacturing, shall be deemed to be unlawful and void. Minnesota corporations entering into combinations of the kind shall forfeit their corporate rights and foreign corporations entering into such combinations shall be excluded from the state. The bill provides that any person who enters into such combinations is subject to fines of not less than \$100 nor more than \$5,000, or imprisonment in the state prison for not more than five years, in the discretion of the court.

Gen. Weyler Starts for the Front.

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—Capt. Gen. Weyler, accompanied by his staff, started for the field at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. The general took a carriage from the palace to the outskirts of the city, where he mounted a horse and rode in the direction of San Jose de las Lajas, to the southwest of Havana. He was escorted by several regiments of cavalry and a body guard of Negro troops recently drafted into the service.

Muskegon River Gorge With Ice.

NEWAG, Mich., Jan. 20.—The Muskegon river is gorged with slush ice for several miles. The water level is raised two feet Monday night. It is now a foot higher than at any time last week, and the ice is so thick that mills and bridges seem unavailing as the river is steadily rising.

Persons Receive the Majority.

HANOVER, N. H., Jan. 20.—Persons received 43 votes in the senate. Black, democratic, received 4. The house vote was 100 to 92. The senate vote was 43 to 4. The house vote was 100 to 92. The senate vote was 43 to 4.

Senator Hansbrough Re-Elected.

BISMARCK, N. D., Jan. 20.—H. Hansbrough, republican, was Tuesday re-elected United States senator by a total of 48 to 25 for W. B. Bentley, populist.

Dillon Re-Elected Party Leader.

LOUISVILLE, Ill., Jan. 20.—The Irish national party in parliament held Tuesday, John Dillon, M. P. for Mayo, was re-elected party leader.

PARLIAMENT.

The Queen's Speech Read in the House of Lords.

The General Arbitration and the Venezuela Treaty Approved.

Victims Trapped That All Differences Between England and United States Will be Settled by Arbitration.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The third session of the fourteenth parliament was formally opened by royal commission at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The function was observed with all due and customary ceremony.

Shortly after 9 o'clock a body of 500 men of the guard, commonly known as "beef eaters," attired in their quaint costume of bonnet, leather breeches and Elizabethan collar, carrying short swords and halberds, arrived at the door of the house. They were accompanied by a police inspector and went through the formality observed ever since 1803 of searching for gunpowder in the recesses of the house.

At 2 o'clock the queen's speech was read to the house of lords. Of affairs in Turkey she said:

"The appalling massacres which have taken place at Constantinople and in other parts of the Ottoman dominions, called for the special attention of the powers signatory of the treaty of Paris. Papers will be laid before you when the conference will be held before you."

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CONDENSED NEWS.

Gathered From All Parts of the Country.

The Alpha Manufacturing Co., Detroit, Mich., manufacturers of shirt waists, have filed a chattel mortgage on the machinery and furniture to secure creditors whose claims aggregate \$10,000.

A grand jury at Minneapolis has indicted John A. Gilman, one of the directors of the Minneapolis Soldiers' home. The charge is said to relate to the letting of a contract in connection with that institution.

A special from Chihuahua, Mexico, says a courier has arrived here bringing word to the military authorities that a band of about fifty Lipan Indians are on the way south, and are committing depredations on settlers near Ojinosa, in the state of Chihuahua.

Samuel Dices, a baker, at 1703 North High street, St. Louis, was arrested on a charge of robbing and deserting his wife in Brooklyn, N. Y., three months ago. He will be taken to Brooklyn for trial. Dices is said to have left Brooklyn with a servant girl in his employ.

The senate committee on finance Tuesday morning ordered a favorable report to be made on the nomination of Wm. S. Forman, of Illinois, to be commissioner of internal revenue. The committee was not in session on Monday, but the opposition was confined to one or two senators.

Robert H. Hobart has leased for four years the residence of A. L. Barber, the asphalt king. It is situated in the extreme west of the city, on the corner of the fourteenth street and Florida avenue, Washington, and was formerly occupied by the late Senator Charles Smith of the United States supreme court.

Secretary Olney was warmly congratulated by his eventual successor in the department when Senator Sherman called upon him Tuesday. The senator invited the secretary to appear before the foreign relations committee Wednesday and secured the secretary's promise to attend.

The supreme court of Missouri, Tuesday, affirmed the decision of the lower court on the case of Arthur Duesenroth, of St. Louis, who was charged with wife and child in that city during a drunken frenzy three years ago. Duesenroth has twice been sentenced to hang, but was pardoned each time.

The Arkansas senate and house balloted separately at noon for United States senator. The senate elected Senator James K. Jones was re-elected by an overwhelming majority. The house will meet at noon Wednesday and elect Senator Jones.

The steel plant at the South Chicago works, in the city of Chicago, was closed Tuesday for an indefinite period. Twelve hundred workmen, who came to the mill Tuesday morning for their daily work, were surprised to find the notice posted on the big gates. The cut in the workmen's wages, which followed a readjustment of wages of all employees except skilled workmen.

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